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For: A NOVEL HIGHER-ORDER STRUCTURE WITH PROMOTING TRANSLATION ACTIVITY

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821

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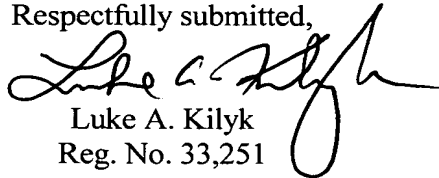
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